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Janet Seifert is an abstract artist creating luminous, improvised paintings and drawings that express novel ways of perceiving and interpreting the unexpected beauty transcending everyday life.

Education

Bachelor of Arts, Studio Art, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland, Full University Scholarship, Maryland State Legislature

Exhibits

2025 Group Shows

US Embassy Exhibit, Cotonou, Benin, (West Africa), Art in Embassies Program, US Department of State

Members Exhibit, Frederick County Art Association, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Winter/Spring Juried Exhibit, Women's Center Art Gallery, Frederick County Artists/Frederick Healthcare, MD

FCAA Members Exhibit, Blanche Ames Gallery, Frederick MD

Summer/Fall Juried Exhibit, Women's Center Art Gallery, Frederick County Artists/Frederick Healthcare, MD

Frederick Festival of Arts, 7 North Market Street Artist Studios, Frederick MD, June 2025

Mid-Atlantic Regional Juried Exhibit, Women's Caucas for Arts of Greater Washington DC, Kentlands Mansion, Gaithersburg MD

Over Seventy Show, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD, July-August 2025

Le Salon Show, The Artists Gallery, Frederick MD

2024 Group Shows

US Embassy Exhibit, Cotonou, Benin, West Africa, Art in Embassies Program, US Department of State, 2024 to 2025

Dreamscapes Unveiled, Hurwitz Gallery, Frederick Arts Council Studio Artists, Frederick MD

Postcards From the Edge, Berry Campbell Gallery, New York NY

Winter/Spring Exhibit, Women's Center Art Gallery, Frederick Healthcare, MD

Prism: Connections in Color, Strathmore Hall Foundation Annual Juried Exhibit, Bethesda MD

Members Exhibit, Frederick County Art Association, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Drawing for Art, Strathmore Hall Foundation Invitational Benefit Exhibit, Bethesda MD

Ephemeral Juried Exhibit, Frederick Arts Council Art Center, Frederick MD

Summertime Juried Exhibit, Women's Center Art Gallery, Frederick Healthcare, MD

Tactile Expression Juried Exhibit, Hurwitz Gallery/Frederick Arts Council, Frederick MD

Over Seventy Show, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Le SalonShow, The Artists Gallery, Frederick MD

Fall/Winter Juried Exhibit, Womens Center Art Gallery, Frederick County Artists/ Frederick Healthcare, MD, Sept 2024-Jan2025

Transformation and Change National Juried Exhibit, Compass Art Center, Kensington MD, October

Canvas & Couture Benefit Auction, Frederick Arts Council, The Ordinary Hen, Frederick MD, October 2024

2023 Group Shows

Members Exhibit, Frederick County Art Association, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Winter Artists Showcase, Frederick Arts Council Art Center, Frederick MD

Structures Juried Exhibit, Women's Art Center Gallery, Frederick Healthcare, Frederick MD

US Embassy Exhibit in Cotonou, Benin, West Africa, Art in Embassies Program, US Department of State, 2023 to 2025

Comfort Juried Exhibit, Frederick Arts Council Art Center, Frederick MD

Frederick County Arts Association Members Exhibit, Cordon Gallery, Frederick Community College, Frederick MD

Spring/Summer Juried Exhibit, Women's Art Center Gallery, Frederick Healthcare, MD

One North Market Exhibit, Hurwitz Gallery, Frederick Arts Council Artists Studios, Frederick MD

2022 Solo Shows

Panoramic Vision, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center Gift Gallery Featured Artist, Frederick MD

Darkness into Light Traveling Exhibit No.2 and 3, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center Sattelite Galleries, Brunswick and Urbana MD

Selected Group Shows

Members Exhibit, Frederick County Art Association, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Serenity Juried Exhibit, Women's Art Center Gallery, Frederick Healthcare, Frederick MD

US Embassy Exhibit in Cotonou, Benin, West Africa, Art in Embassies Program, US Department of State, May 2022 to 2025

Over Seventy Show, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Fall/Winter Juried Exhibit, Women's Center Gallery, Frederick Healthcare, MD

Gala Auction/Exhibition, Featured Donating Artist, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Winter Juried Show, Annmarie Gardens and Arts Center, Solomons MD

2021 Solo Shows

Lightscapes, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Darkness into Light Traveling Exhibit No.1, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center Sattelite Gallery, Thurmont MD

Selected Group Shows

Members Exhibit, Frederick County Art Association, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Spring/Summer Exhibit, Women's Center Art Gallery, Frederick Healthcare, MD

Out of Order Show, Maryland Art Place, Baltimore MD

Shine: Catching the Light, Annmarie Arts Center in association with the Smithsonian Institution, Solomons MD

Over Seventy Show, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Wallmountables, District of Columbia Arts Center, Washington DC

Le Salon, The Artists Gallery, Frederick MD

Fall/Winter Exhibit Juried Exhibit, Women's Center Art Gallery, Frederick Healthcare, MD

Under 500 Juried Exhibit, Maryland Art Place, Baltimore MD

2020 Solo Show

Improvisation: Paintings and Drawings, Frederick Community College, Frederick MD

Selected Group Shows

Members Exhibit, Frederick County Art Association, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Invitational Commission, Polka Dot Gala Exhibit, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Invitational Online Art Exhibit, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Over Seventy Show, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD

Lend A Hand Benefit Auction, Muse Gallery, Frederick MD

2019 Selected Group Shows

Spring Comes Invitational Show, Corner Store Gallery, Washington DC

Gallery Group Exhibit, District Arts Gallery, Frederick MD

Lend A Hand Benefit Auction, Muse Gallery, Frederick MD

2018 Selected Group Shows

Women By Women Juried Show, Blue Door Art Center, Yonkers NY
Living Art Juried Show, Ossining Arts Council, Firehouse Gallery, Ossining NY
Artists Community Juried Exhibit, Bethany Arts Center Gallery, Ossining NY

33rd Annual Art Benefit, Central City Hospitality House, San Francisco CA

2017 Selected Group Shows

Art Bridge Juried Exhibit, ArtSpan, SomArts Gallery, San Francisco Stand Up for Science: A Blue Planet, Sun Gallery, Hayward CA

Art for AIDS, University of California Alliance Health Project, City View Gallery, San Francisco A Blue Planet, John O'Lague Galleria, Hayward City Hall, Hayward CA Delicious, The Studio Gallery, San Francisco

2016 Two-Person Show

ArtSpan Premier Artists Exhibit, University of California Faculty & Alumni House Exhibit, San Francisco

Selected Group Shows

23rd Annual Bay Area Artists Show, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, Artists Gallery at Fort Mason Center, San Francisco Delicious, The Studio Gallery, San Francisco

Art Launch, ArtSpan Premier Artists, SomArts Gallery, San Francisco

Tiny, The Studio Gallery, San Francisco

Recent Awards/ Grants

Individual Artist Grant, Carl Butler Award, Frederick Arts Council, Frederick MD, 2020

Artist Partner, Art in Embassies Program, U.S. Department of State cultural diplomacy program, 2022 to present Individual Artist Grant, James M. Green Fund, Community Foundation/Frederick Arts Council, Frederick MD, 2022 ARPA Grant, Frederick Arts Council, Frederick MD, 2023

Individual Artist Grant, James M. Green Fund, Community Foundation/Frederick Arts Council, Frederick MD, 2023 Grants for Artists Award, Maryland State Arts Council, Annapolis MD, 2024

Individual Artist Grant, James M. Green Fund, Community Foundation/Frederick Arts Council, Frederick MD, 2025

Galleries/Representation

San Francisco Women Artists Gallery, San Francisco CA, 2009-2010
San Francisco Museum of Modern Art Artists Gallery at Fort Mason, San Francisco, 2009 to 2019
McKinley Art Solutions Consultants, San Francisco CA, 2010-2015
Exhibiting artist, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD, 2019 to present
District Arts Gallery, Frederick MD, 2019
Exhibiting artist, Womens Center Gallery, Frederick HealthCare, MD, 2021 to present

FAC Hurwitz Contemporary Gallery/Frederick Arts Council, Frederick MD, 2023 to 2024

Recent Related Experience

Art Gallery Installation Assistant, Frederick Community College, Frederick MD, 2019 to present

Juror, 2022 Scholastic Art and Writing Awards, Baltimore Office of Promotion and Arts, Baltimore MD

Awards Reviewer, 2022 Scholastic Art and Writing Awards, Baltimore Office of Promotion and Arts, Baltimore MD

Art Sudio Assistant, Frederick Community College, Frederick MD, Spring Semester 2022

Juror, 2022 Maryland First Lady's Gallery, Maryland Centers for Creative Classrooms, Annapolis MD

Juror, 2023 Scholastic Art and Writing Awards, Baltimore Office of Promotion and Arts, Baltimore MD

Awards Reviewer, 2023 Scholastic Art and Writing Awards, Baltimore Office of Promotion and Arts, Baltimore MD

Featured Artist, Visit Frederick/Destination Frederick MD video, Frederick County Government, July 2024

Affiliations

Member and studio artist, Soma Artist Studios, San Francisco CA, 2009-2016

Member and studio artist, Workspace Limited Studios, San Francisco CA, 2016-2017

Member and exhibiting artist, Mission Artists United, San Francisco CA, 2016-2017

Artist registry member and grants recipient, Maryland State Arts Council, Baltimore MD, 2018 to present

Member, exhibiting artist and volunteer, Delaplaine Visual Arts Center, Frederick MD, 2018 to present

Member, exhibiting artist and volunteer, Frederick County Arts Association, Frederick MD, 2019 to present

Member, exhibiting artist and grant recipient, Frederick County Arts Council, Frederick MD, 2019 to present

Artist Partner, Art in Embassies Program, US Department of State, May 2022 to present

Studio Artist, Frederick Arts Council Artist Studios, 7 North Market Street, Studio 8, Frederick MD, 2023 to present

Member, Howard County Arts Council, Ellicott City MD, July 2024 to present

Member, Maryland Art Place, Baltimore MD, August 2024 to present